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TO AMEMBASSY KINSHASA IMMEDIATE

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SUBJECT: DOMSAT CONTRACT

1. ACCORDING TO ITT REPRESENTATIVE KINSHASA GOZ HAS
SIGNED APPROXIMATELY 80 MILLION DOLLARS DOMSAT
CONTRACT WITH FRENCH.

2. WE UNDERSTAND FROM OTHER SOURCE THAT CONTRACT SIGNED
BY DEPARTMENT FINANCE DIRECTOR GENERAL IN ABSENCE
BOFOSSA AND SAMBWA UNDER PRESSURE FROM BISENGIMANA, AND
THAT BOFOSSA AND SAMBWA ARE ATTEMPTING TO HAVE SIGNING
NULLIFIED OR OVERRULED BY PRESIDENT MOBUTU.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE ASAP EMBASSY EVALUATION THIS REPORT.
AS YOU CAN APPRECIATE, CONSUMMATION OF DOMSAT CONTRACT
WITH FRENCH AT THIS TIME COULD POSE SERIOUS PROBLEMS
FOR GOZ IN CONCLUDING PRIVATE AND PUBLIC DEBT
RESCHEDULING, OBSTRUCT ATTEMPTS OBTAIN FORTHCOMING IBRD
AND IMF COOPERATION, AND COULD RESULT IN ADVERSE

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